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In re application of: Klaus Herrmann  
Serial No.: 09/993,176  
For: "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CHARACTERIZING A LOCATION AT AN  
EXAMINATION SUBJECT"  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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